

Amendments of the Claims:

A detailed listing of all claims in the application is presented below. This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application. All claims being currently amended are submitted with markings to indicate the changes that have been made relative to immediate prior version of the claims. The changes in any amended claim are being shown by ~~striketrough~~ (for deleted matter) or underlined (for added matter).

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6. (Currently Amended) ~~A The method of claim 1 wherein said received e-mail message is~~
sending an e-mail message to a plurality of users by an e-mail recipient in response to a
received e-mail message, the received e-mail message including a chain of previously
sent e-mail messages wherein each previously sent e-mail message includes at least one
previous sender and one previous recipient, the method comprising:

automatically ~~parsed~~ parsing the received e-mail message upon receipt of said
message for e-mail addresses of the previous senders and recipients to form a list
of e-mail addresses;

displaying said list of e-mail addresses;

selecting, by the e-mail recipient, one or more of the e-mail addresses from the list to
address the e-mail message, each selected e-mail address identifying a user to
which the e-mail message is to be sent; and

sending the e-mail message to the users identified by the selected addresses.
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8. (Currently Amended) ~~The A method of claim 1 wherein prior to said parsing step- sending an~~
e-mail message to a plurality of users by an e-mail recipient in response to a received e-
mail message, the received e-mail message including a chain of previously sent e-mail

messages wherein each previously sent e-mail message includes at least one previous sender and one previous recipient, the method comprising:

requesting a list of potential reply e-mail addresses is requested;

parsing the received e-mail message for e-mail addresses of the previous senders and recipients to form a list of e-mail addresses;

displaying said list of e-mail addresses;

selecting, by the e-mail recipient, one or more of the e-mail addresses from the list to address the e-mail message, each selected e-mail address identifying a user to which the e-mail message is to be sent; and

sending the e-mail message to the users identified by the selected addresses.

9. (Currently Amended) ~~The A method of claim 1, wherein said response of the received e-mail is formed by~~ sending an e-mail message to a plurality of users by an e-mail recipient in response to a received e-mail message, the received e-mail message including a chain of previously sent e-mail messages wherein each previously sent e-mail message includes at least one previous sender and one previous recipient, the method comprising:

parsing the received e-mail message for e-mail addresses of the previous senders and recipients to form a list of e-mail addresses;

displaying said list of e-mail addresses;

selecting, by the e-mail recipient, one or more of the e-mail addresses from the list to address the e-mail message, each selected e-mail address identifying a user to which the e-mail message is to be sent;

auto-populating SMTP headers of the e-mail message with said list of the selected e-mail addresses to which the e-mail message is to be sent; and

sending the e-mail message to the users identified by the selected addresses.

10. (Currently Amended) ~~The A method of claim 1, wherein said response is formed by~~ sending an e-mail message to a plurality of users by an e-mail recipient in response to a received e-mail message, the received e-mail message including a chain of previously sent e-mail messages wherein each previously sent e-mail message includes at least one previous sender and one previous recipient, the method comprising:

parsing the received e-mail message for e-mail addresses of the previous senders and recipients to form a list of e-mail addresses;

displaying said list of e-mail addresses;

selecting, by the e-mail recipient, one or more of the e-mail addresses from the list to address the e-mail message, each selected e-mail address identifying a user to which the e-mail message is to be sent;

auto-populating user interface graphical elements of the e-mail message with the selected e-mail addresses to which the e-mail message is to be sent; and

sending the e-mail message to the users identified by the selected addresses.

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